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28 September 1960

MEMCRANDUM FOR: Director of Training

ATTENTION

: Chief, CA

SUBJECT

: Contingency Force Course

- 1. During May, 1960 the Agency gave its first course of instruction on contingency force operations. The writer was a member of that class. Shortly after the completion of that instruction the undersigned was accepted for a temporary assignment on a current project in the WH Division and was actively engaged in the training phase outside the United States.
- 2. The deciding factor in whether or not the writer could have completed that assignment was mostly due to the excellent theory and practical application of task force problems presented during 🛗 The undersigned was able to deal more effectively and judiciously with routine problems and to help plan and execute a more comprehensive training program than would have been possible without the instruction received during the contingency training course.
- The writer takes this opportunity to thank those who mede possible in the sincere belief that this type of instruction is extremely valuable for any Agency personnel likely to become engaged in the operational or support phase of a contingency force problem.

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